

## City Boy "Young Men Gone West"

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Around the singles bar, playing parlour games  
Marianne plays kiss and run and waves her welcomes  
again.  
She's way out after dark, painted for the part,  
To steal some young man's week away and rob him of  
his  
Heart.  
To tease the lonely brute with the dark blue tatoo  
They choose the longer route up to his room  
And leaning an the light, pursuing dirty nights  
And eagle out on bail surveys his nails.

### CHORUS

Young men gone west for a city roof  
Young men gone west for their gin and vermouth  
Young men gone west, it's young men for the boys  
Leaving the next for their jewels and toys  
Young men gone west from unhappy homes

Leading the way for the lonely ones.

Now Harry's lost weekend is trembling to a close,  
He's drowned his dreams in nicotine and pawned his  
Overcoat  
He stumbles to the stairs, disturbs a love affair,  
He shuffles as they stare and begs to be elsewhere  
But can he claim a willing ear before they disappear  
He's sure a lover's time worth a dime.

### CHORUS

Young men gone west into kisses and crime  
Seeing the stairway and wanting to, climb  
Young men gone west for the rodeo, mistaking  
strangers  
For people they know  
Young men gone west, just wasting their days  
Asking directions and losing their way.

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